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NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

The proposed project identified below has been reviewed for environmental impact by the City of Auburn and determined to have no significant effect on the environment that cannot be mitigated. A proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared for this project.

PROJECT TITLE: City of Auburn Wastewater Treatment Plant Secondary Process

Upgrade

<u>LEAD AGENCY</u>: City of Auburn

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<u>PROJECT LOCATION</u>: The City of Auburn Wastewater Treatment Plan (WWTP) is located at 10441 Ophir Road, Auburn, California, 95603.

<u>PROJECT DESCRIPTION:</u> The City is proposing a number of secondary process upgrades to the WWTP to improve performance, add process redundancy, and comply with expected new permit limitations. The WWTP Secondary Process Upgrade project would construct a new oxidation ditch and associated facilities, including a new electrical building. The new oxidation ditch would be located within an existing treatment pond. The proposed project would not increase the permitted amount of effluent discharged from the plant (1.67 million gallons per day average dry weather flow). Construction would begin in the fall of 2015.

<u>HEARING:</u> The Auburn City Council will hold a public hearing on the proposed project and the Mitigated Negative Declaration. A date has not been set. Please refer to the City website for Council agendas (<u>www.auburn.ca.gov</u>).

<u>PUBLIC COMMENT</u>: Comments on this document will be received from <u>January 29, 2015</u> through <u>February 27, 2015</u>. A copy of the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration and Initial Study are available for public review the City of Auburn Planning & Public Works Department, 1225 Lincoln Way, Auburn, CA, 95603. Questions regarding the project should be directed to Reg Murray, Senior Planner.

Reg Murray, Senior Planner

City of Auburn

Date